

2. Negro Trade Unionists Committee

Another Negro trade-union group was formed in October, 1955, in New York City under the title of Negro Labor Unionists Committee, later changed to Negro Trade Unionists Committee (NTUC). This organization was reportedly the result of a meeting of Negro leaders present at the UERMWA national convention held in September, 1955. The NTUC was designed as a national organization and was subdivided into ten groups throughout the country. Its chief purpose was to guarantee full and equal membership rights for Negroes and minority groups in the AFL-CIO and to fight for trade-union organization of both Negroes and whites in the Southern States.

The NTUC proposed to advance its aims by mass distribution of leaflets throughout the United States and to foster recognition of these aims through churches and fraternal organizations.

3. National Association of Negro Trade Unionists of New Jersey

In the early part of 1956, another group with similar aims and purposes was formed in New Jersey under the name of the National Association of Negro Trade Unionists of New Jersey.